



# World Hockey Association Game Summary



New England Whalers 5 at San Diego Mariners 3  
San Diego Sports Arena  
January 27, 1977

## First Period

1. New England, T. Earl (D. Keon) 15:43.

### Penalties:

R. Busniuk, NE 15:00.

## Second Period

2. San Diego, L. Hornung (W. Rivers, R. Sentes) 3:21. 3. San Diego, L. Hornung (P. Shmyr) 3:54.

### Penalties:

None.

## Third Period

4. San Diego, D. Burgess (R. Adduono, P. Shmyr) 2:32. 5. New England, R. Backstrom (L. Pleau) 3:15. 6. New England, G. Lyle (T. Webster, M. Rogers) 14:05. 7. New England, R. Ley (S. Carlson) 17:50. 8. New England, D. Keon (J. McKenzie) 19:31.

### Penalties:

B. Callighen, NE 1:52; T. Abrahamsson, NE 7:09; P. McNamee, SD 14:00.

### Shots:

New England 10 6 10 - 26

San Diego 7 11 6 - 24

### Goaltending:

C. Abrahamsson, NE (60:00 24 shots, 21 saves W). K. Lockett, SD (60:00 L).

**Attendance:** 4,239.

**New England Coach:** Harry Neale.

**San Diego Coach:** Ron Ingram.